



# THE OYEN NEWS

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## William Linklater Sentenced To Three Years in Penitentiary

William Linklater, Sibbald, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary by Judge A. M. MacDonald in a sittings of the District Court held in Hanna, Wednesday, June 13. The charge was one of theft of funds from the municipal district of Bertawan. Sibbald. Pleading guilty, and electing for speedy trial, Linklater was sentenced as above and was afterwards removed to Prince Albert.

The alleged theft of approximately \$36,000, covered a period from 1919 to 1934, during which time Linklater was secretary-treasurer of the municipality. Linklater assigned all his assets to the municipality with a view to restitution.

## District Gets More Moisture

Since Wednesday of last week, .62 inch has been added to the month's precipitation bringing the June total to 4.54 inches. The rainfall for the week was: 20th .02, 21st .02, 22nd .10 and on the 26th .48 inch.

Look at the label on your paper!

## CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY, JULY 1

### OYEN UNITED CHURCH

EXCEL ..... 11.00 a.m.

SUPERIOR .... 2.30 p.m.

OYEN ..... 7.30 p.m.

Rev. E. F. KEMP  
All are cordially invited.

### ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Evensong ..... 2.00 p.m.

Rev. C. M. K. PARSONS

### SACRED HEART CHURCH

Mass ..... 11.00 a.m.

Rev. Fr. J. C. LYNETT

## Liberals Make Sweep of Ontario and Saskatchewan

In the provincial elections held last week in the provinces of Ontario and Saskatchewan, Liberals made a sweeping victory at the polls. In the neighboring province government candidates failed to win a single seat. The figures below tell the story.

### SASKATCHEWAN

(55 seats)

Liberals .....	49
Farmer-Labor .....	5
Deferred .....	1
Total .....	55

### ONTARIO

(90 seats)

Liberals .....	65
Conservatives .....	17
Liberal-Progressive .....	4
Liberal-Labor .....	1
C.C.F. ....	1
Independent .....	1
U.F.O. ....	1
Total .....	90

## William Pearce Stock Watering Scheme is Receiving Attention

The William Pearce Stock Watering Scheme, which the Alberta legislature, at its last session, unanimously endorsed, is being brought more to the notice of the public. At a meeting recently held in Youngstown the details of the scheme were explained by Gordon A. Forster, M.L.A. (Hand Hills) and Lorne Proudfoot, M.L.A., (Acadia).

Following the meeting a petition was circulated and signed by all endorsing the project. Steps are being taken to form and perfect an organization having as its object the arousing of public interest in the William Pearce scheme, and urging upon the governments concerned the work being undertaken as a relief measure.

## School Terminates for Holidays Friday

School will close for the summer holidays Friday. Nothing has been done yet in regard to engaging a staff, as the board contemplate reducing the teaching staff to three. A meeting of the board will be held on Saturday evening to settle the matter. The present staff is: Mr. J. F. Martin, principal, Mr. R. C. Waller, Miss A. M. Todd and Miss J. Dunn.

### Feadvew School Report

The following is the report of the standing of the pupils of Feadvew school:

Grade IX—Selma Finstad 73. Grade VII—Roger Serivens 73, Gladys Finstad 68. Grade VI—Junior Golden 68. Grade V—Christine Bakke 84, Olga Finstad 69, Dan Serivens 66, Bernice Golden 54. Grade III—Peter Finstad 83, Harold Bakke 75. Peggy Serivens 75. Grade I—Justus Efird, V.G.

C. Desmond, Teacher.

## Magazines

### Maclean's Magazine

\$2.00 for One year.

\$3.00 for Two years.

### The Chatelaine

\$1.00 for One year.

\$2.00 for Three yrs.

### Good Housekeeping

\$3.50 for One year.

### Saturday Evening Post

\$4.50 for One year.

### Ladies Home Journal

\$1.50 for One year.

\$2.75 for Two years.

### Chas. L. Dunford

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## Store closed all day Monday, July 2

Store will remain open Wednesday July 4.  
During the balance of July the usual Wednesday afternoon holiday will be observed.

# S. A. MILLER

## About Town and Country

Everett, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wiley of Lanfane, was taken to Cerebral hospital Saturday, and the following day underwent an operation for appendicitis. He is reported to be doing as well as can be expected.

At the quarterly meeting of the ladies bridge club, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Scott last night, Mrs. R. E. Gillespie and Mr. Scott were winners of the first prizes.

Mr. W. S. Marshall and Dr. D. L. Dick returned to Oyen Monday after a motor trip through the Red Deer country.

The appointment this month of Mr. E. L. Gray to the office of deputy minister of municipal affairs is widely approved by a host of friends. Mr. Gray was district agriculturist at Hanna from 1927 to 1930 and field crops commissioner in the provincial department of agriculture for the past four years. He was withdrawn from that branch of government service to assume his new duties, June 11.

Mr. J. A. Bunyan, who recently returned to Calgary to be cared for at the Belcher military hospital, is reported to be very seriously ill.

Mr. Donald Cameron of the Department of Extension, gave an exceptionally fine talk in the Masonic hall last Monday evening. The hall was well filled and his listeners gave him a very hearty ovation at the conclusion of his address, which was entitled "Folks, Schools and Other Subjects."

For Sale—One used stiff tooth cultivator. Bargain price.—W. V. Miller.

### THE MARKET

Wheat.....	56½
Oats.....	25½
Barley.....	28½
Rye.....	36½
Flax.....	134

The local baseball team were sports day visitors at Chinook today, winning second money. They defeated Sibbald 2-0, Stanmore 5-3, then lost to Consort in the final game.

### The Weatherman

Last year the weatherman just [wore,  
An old straw hat, a sunny smile;  
We said, It now will rain no more,  
He kept us dry a long, long while.  
We had no grain to thresh last fall,  
No kopecks did our pockets bear,  
He gave us snow, and that's 'bout [all;  
Says he, this be your winter fare.  
A good 'nuff food for thought you [know,  
But for the paunch a ration scant,  
Then in the spring he starts to [blow  
His wind, he said with rain [intent.  
Then optimism sets to light  
Up all our hearts, yet longed for [rain:  
And that's an omen good when [bright  
Sun shifts with dust clouds—it's  
seen plain.  
—ANDREW OYEN

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## Excel Items

Over fifty ladies attended the U.F.W.A. conference held in Excel school on June 16. Delegates were present from 6 locals covering a district over fifty miles in extent.

The morning session was opened with the singing of "O Canada" and was devoted to the appointment of committees and the discussion of resolutions. Mrs. Banner, U.F.W.A. director acted as chairman and Mrs. C. A. Bishop as Secretary.

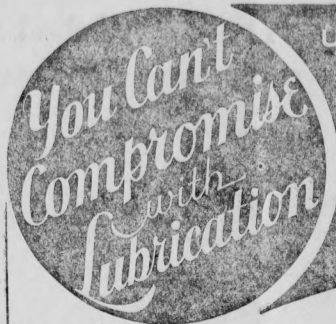
Two exceptionally fine addresses were delivered at the afternoon session. The first, by Mrs. E. Hayes on the rudiments of drama production in amateur theatricals, proved most interesting. Mrs. W. Ross gave a splendid address in which she reviewed the various convensorships of the U.F.W.A., the work accomplished and pointed out questions open for study this year drawing special attention to the opening up of the Liquor Control Act at the last session. Her plea for peace, in which she quoted from Scott Neering's new book "War", was very effective. A vote of thanks to the speakers tendered by Mrs. Michaels, and a vote of commendation tendered to the executive by Mrs. Church for the splendid programme arranged were enthusiastically endorsed.

A vote of sympathy was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland on account of the former's prolonged serious illness.

The following musical numbers were given during the afternoon; Pianoforte solos by Miss M. Byler and Miss M. Bishop, piano and violin duet by the Misses Doris and Thelma Gullekson, vocal duet by the Misses Shirley and Audrey Gullekson, vocal solo by Mrs. N. Fisher, and a reading by Mrs. Russell Johnson.

The committee for 1935 is as follows; Mrs. C. Gullekson, Excel, Mrs. E. Stewart, Naco, Mrs. Michaels, Sedalia, Mrs. E. Johnson, Helmsdale, Mrs. W. J. Byler, Glenada and Mrs. W. Agar, Cereal.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN

## The Retort Courteous But Subtle, Very Subtle!

Seated at the same table in a popular London restaurant were two young women who were strangers to each other. One had just finished her lunch, the other was about to begin. The girl who had finished her meal lighted a cigarette. The other seemed annoyed over this, and said somewhat haughtily, "I suppose you do not object to my eating while you are smoking?" The first girl looked at her and answered brightly — "Well, no, not so long as I can hear the orchestra."

## OYEN THEATRE

Notice to our patrons—  
Commencing with the  
next show—Wallace  
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**Wednesday**  
**July 11**

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## Dominion Day Holiday

will be observed

**Monday July 2**

Stores will be closed  
all day.

## Here and There

One graduate of the Anglican Theological College of British Columbia and four undergraduates are out for a summer of adventure and color since embarking recently aboard Canadian Pacific coastal liner, "Princess Norah" for the Yukon. Her 100-odd passengers also included miners, prospectors and northern railway and steamship men going in for the season.

Portland, Oregon's 26th annual Rose Festival, world-famous for colorful pomp and pageantry, will be held June 11-14 next. The western zone of the Canadian Legion will hold its convention there as also the American Rose Society.

The Princess Elaine, popular Vancouver-Nanaimo ferry of the Canadian Pacific B.C. Coast steamship service, is back from overhaul with the very latest in lunch rooms installed aboard. It is 40 feet long and 15 feet wide, and is provided with lunch counter and tables.

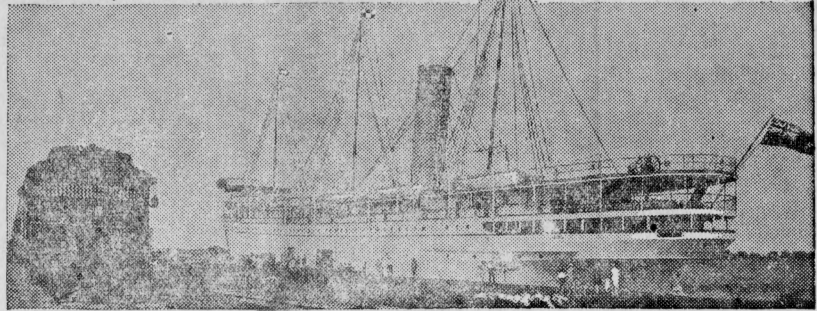
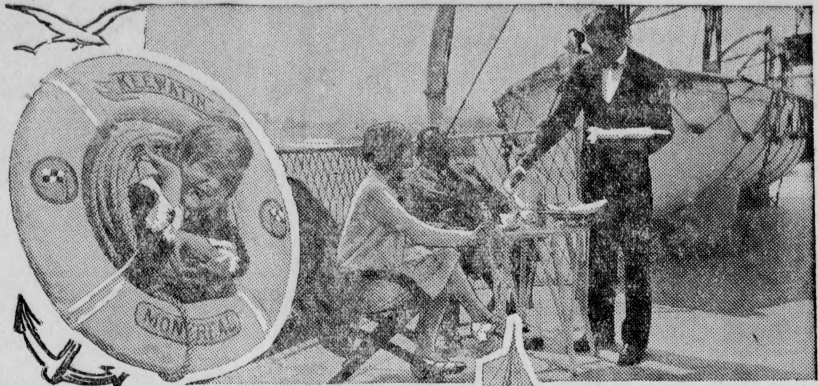
General improvement in business is apparent throughout Canada although many problems still remain to be solved is the opinion of Jackson Dodds, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, who sailed for Europe aboard the Empress of Australia recently.

The Canadian Pacific 42,500-ton Atlantic flagship Empress of Britain completed her world cruise of 30,916 miles last month on arrival at New York and sailed again for Cherbourg and Southampton to be fitted for her normal season sailings between Southampton and Quebec.

An English bulldog, scotch terrier, two boxes of swan's eggs and four homing pigeons were among the Canadian Pacific Express shipments arriving at Quebec recently aboard the Duchess of York from Liverpool, Belfast and Glasgow.

"With a soundly administered unified system, Canada would be able to anticipate within a reasonable period of time, a balanced railway budget and would be able to finance any justifiable extensions which expanding settlement and development might in future demand," E. W. Beatty, K.C., chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, declared in a recent speech advocating unification, for administrative purposes of the two major railways.

## The Lure of the Lakes



Music, moonlight, glorious lake breezes with six hundred miles of sailing on the Canadian Pacific's Great Lakes vessels S.S. Assiniboia, Keewatin and Manitoba are at the disposal of passengers on the company's lines travelling from eastern to western Canadian points or as a pleasant diversion on the returning journey for the small added cost of ten dollars for berth and meals each way.

This delightful prospect follows the announcement by the

Canadian Pacific that four-piece orchestras will, for a period of nine weeks, dispense music on the Assiniboia and Keewatin en route while the vessels pass through Georgian Bay, across the northern part of Lake Huron, through the Sault Ste. Marie locks and thence to Fort William on Lake Superior, a pleasant, lazy and restful, journey of 39 hours from Port McNicoll or Owen Sound.

To all those who are planning

a trip to or from the west, this economical optional trip embracing dancing, cozy cabins, plenty of deck space and luxuriously-appointed dining saloons; with glimpses of ever-changing scenery or bracing stretches of blue water, is one that cannot be overlooked. It is at the disposal of every vacationist and this season promises to be immensely popular not only with Canadians but with visitors to this country as well.

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